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METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR  
COMPUTING AND REGULATING THE  
DISTRIBUTION OF A LINEAR LOAD IN A  
MULTI-NIP CALENDER AND A MULTI-NIP  
CALENDER

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**PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 4, 2004

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing a response to the Notice of Appeal received by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 8, 2004 for five months from May 8, 2004 to October 8, 2004.

The extension fee of \$2,080.00 is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500518. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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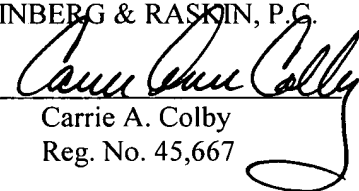
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